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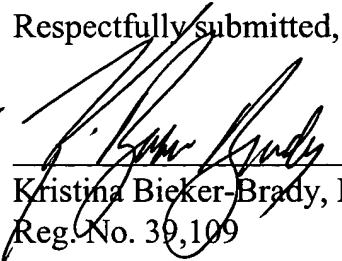
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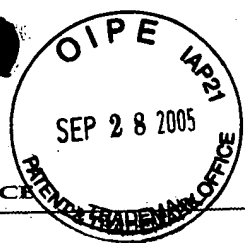
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**Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant**

-- This application is a continuation of U.S. Serial

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**Foreign Applications**

FRANCE 99/11563 09/16/1999

**Projected Publication Date:** None, application is not eligible for pre-grant publication

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**Title**

Method and compositions for detecting pathological events

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, kindly amend the above-referenced application as follows:

In the Specification

On page 1, after the title, please replace the paragraph entitled "Cross Reference To Related Applications" with the following rewritten paragraph:

--Cross Reference To Related Applications

• This application is a continuation of U.S.S.N. 09/456,461, filed December 8, 1999.

• This application also claims priority from French application serial no. 99/11563, filed September 16, 1999, and international application serial no. PCT/FR00/02439, filed on September 5, 2000.--

REMARKS

The specification was amended in order to correct the priority information, in particular the filing date of the international application. No new matter has been added by the above amendment.

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**VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE**

In the specification:

On page 1, after the title, the specification has been amended as follows:

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This application also claims priority from French application serial no. 99/11563, filed September 16, 1999, and international application serial no. PCT/FR00/02439, filed on [September 9, 2000] September 5, 2000.